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**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****IN RE APPLICATION OF:**

Pan, Ci-Ling, et al.

APPLICATION No.: 10/706,097

FILED: November 12, 2003

**FOR: TERAHERTZ PHASE SHIFTER OR  
RETARDED BASED ON MAGNETICALLY  
CONTROLLED BIREFRINGENCE IN LIQUID  
CRYSTALS**

EXAMINER: HOAN C. NGUYEN  
ART UNIT: 2871  
CONFIRM. NO: 6504

**Amendment**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 12, 2005, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

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